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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE In re Patent Application of Darja Fercej Temeljotov et al. Group Art Unit: 1616 Application No.: 09/913,752 Examiner: SHARMILA S GOLLAMUDI Filing Date: November 21, 2001 Confirmation No.: 5309 Title: DIRECTLY COMPRESSIBLE MATRIX FOR CONTROLLED RELEASE OF SINGLE DAILY DOSES OF **CLARITHROMYCIN NOTICE OF APPEAL** Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir: All finally rejected claims in the decision of the Primary Examiner dated May 4, 2005 hereby appealed to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences. The appeal fee was previously paid on . Therefore, no Appeal fee is now reauired. Enclosed is the Appeal fee of: \$250.00 (2401) ■ \$500.00 (1401) Charge to Deposit Account No. 02-4800 for the fee due. A check in the amount of is enclosed for the fee due. \$ 500.00 to credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. A Petition for Extension of Time is enclosed. Small entity status is hereby claimed. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in duplicate. 11/07/2005 NNGUYEN1 00000010 09913752 Respectfully submitted, 01 FC:1401 500.00 OP **BUCHANAN INGERSOLL LLP** 12230 El Camino Real Suite 300 San Diego, CA 92130-2090 (858) 509-7300 Susan'B. Fuller Registration No. 51,979 Date: November 4, 2005 I hereby certify that this paper or fee is being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 C.F.R. § 1.10 on the date indicated above and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. "Express Mail" Mailing Label No.: EV 793 689 037 US Date of Deposit: November 4, 2005 Kim A. Cabello

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